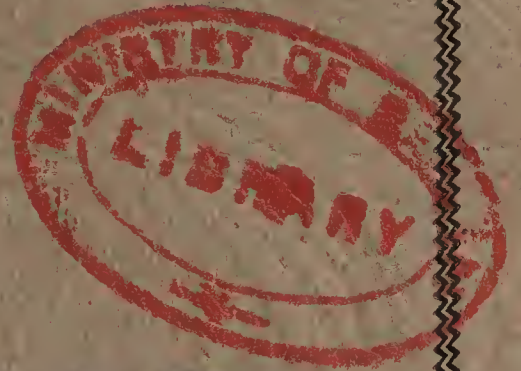


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**COUNCIL OFFICES,
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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR 1938.

**To the Chairman and Members of the Garforth
Urban District Council.**

I have the honour to submit to you my Annual Report on the Health and Sanitary Conditions of your District for the year 1938. Incorporated with it is the Report of the Sanitary Inspector.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Area (acres)	1,519
Population (1931 Census)	3,704
Population as estimated by Registrar-General (middle of 1938 on which figure the Tables in this Report are based	3,806
The number of inhabited houses (end of 1938) according to the Rate Book is	1,252
Rateable Value	£16,708
Sum represented by Penny Rate	£63

SOCIAL CONDITIONS.

The District is mostly residential. Formerly the chief industry was coal mining, but there are now no collieries working in the Council's area. There is still a considerable amount of unemployment prevailing.

EXTRACTS FROM THE VITAL STATISTICS OF THE YEAR 1938.

LIVE BIRTHS:—		Total	Male	Female
Legitimate	.....	54	31	23
Illegitimate	.....	2	1	1

Birth rate per 1,000 of the estimated resident population 14.7.

STILL BIRTHS:—		Total	Male	Female
Rate per 1,000				
population 0.521—	Legitimate	1	—	1

DEATHS OF INFANTS:—

Under one year of age per 1,000 births,

		Total	Male	Female
Legitimate	.....	2	1	1
Illegitimate	.....	—	—	—

Rate per 1,000 Births, 35.7.

Number of women dying in, or in consequence of child birth—NIL.

DEATHS:—		Total	Male	Female
		33	19	14

Death rate per 1,000 of the estimated resident population 8.6.

The Registrar-General has supplied a "Comparability Factor" by which the crude death rate of the Area, viz., 8.6 should be multiplied in order to make it comparable, from a mortality point of view, with the crude death rate of the country as a whole or with the mortality of any local area.

The crude death rate of the Urban District is 8.6 per 1,000, and when multiplied by this factor (1.03) becomes 8.8 per 1,000.

Remarks on Total Statistics: The Birth Rate of 14.7 for 1938 shows a decrease on the previous year which was 17.7.

The following is a table showing the Birth Rate for the past five years.

Year		Garforth	England & Wales	
1934	.....	14.5	.....	14.8
1935	.....	15.9	.....	14.7
1936	.....	13.7	.....	15.9
1937	.....	17.7	.....	14.9
1938	.....	14.7	.....	15.1

Death Rate: The Death Rate of 8.8 shows a decrease on that of the previous year, which was 17.2. For England and Wales, the Death Rate for 1938 was 11.6. It will be noted that the Birth Rate is appreciably higher than the Death Rate. Five years ago the Death Rate was higher than the Birth Rate.

The following is a table showing the Death Rate for the past five years.

Year		Garforth	England & Wales	
1934	.....	14.4	.....	11.8
1935	.....	10.7	.....	11.7
1936	.....	12.9	.....	12.1
1937	.....	17.2	.....	12.4
1938	.....	8.8	.....	11.6

Chief Causes of Death : These include 1 from Cancer, 10 from Cardio-vascular diseases, 4 from Respiratory diseases other than Tuberculosis, 6 deaths from Tuberculosis, which include 3 from Respiratory and 3 from Non-Respiratory.

A detailed list of Causes of Death is printed in this report.

Infantile Mortality: The Death Rate of Infants under one year of age per 1,000 births is, I am pleased to say, the lowest for a number of years. The Rate for England and Wales for 1938 was 53.

The following is a table showing the Death Rate of Infants under one year of age per 1,000 births.

Years		Gariorth	England & Wales	
1934	.....	134.6	.....	59.0
1935	.....	34.5	.....	57.0
1936	.....	81.6	.....	59.0
1937	.....	74.6	.....	58.0
1938	.....	35.7	.....	53.0

PREVALENCE OF, AND CONTROL OVER, INFECTIOUS AND OTHER DISEASES.

It will be remembered during 1937 there were many cases of Diphtheria, in fact, the largest number for many years. However, I am pleased to state we were able to control the outbreak, and this year compares favourably with any year. No deaths were recorded from infectious diseases.

Small Pox: I am pleased to say that no cases of Small-Pox were reported in the Council's area.

Measles: There was a small amount of this disease during the year, but no Deaths resulted

Whooping Cough: There was a fair amount of this disease during the year, but fortunately no deaths.

Summer Diarrhoea: There was a small amount of this during the late summer, but no deaths.

Influenza: I am pleased to say there was no epidemic of this disease during the past year, and no deaths.

Tuberculosis: Six new cases of Tuberculosis were reported during the year, 4 Pulmonary and 2 Non-Pulmonary. There were 3 deaths from Pulmonary Tuberculosis and 3 deaths from Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

Ophthalmia Neonatorum: No cases reported.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES (OTHER THAN TUBERCULOSIS DURING THE YEAR 1938.

Disease	Total cases notified	Cases admitted to Hospital	Total Deaths
Smallpox	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	3	3	—
Diphtheria	7	7	—
Enteric Fever	—	—	—
Puerperal Fever	—	—	—
Puerperal Pyrexia	—	—	—
Pneumonia	—	—	—
Erysipelas	1	1	—
Polioencephalitis	—	—	—
Meningitis	—	—	—
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	—	—	—
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—
Totals	11	11	—

The following is a list showing the prevalence of Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria during the last five years.

Year	CASES NOTIFIED		DEATHS	
	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria
1934	1	2	—	—
1935	4	5	1	1
1936	4	5	—	1
1937	17	50	—	1
1938	3	7	—	—

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES—continued.

Age Periods	Smallpox	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria & Group	Enteric Fever incl. Paratyphoid	Puerperal Pyrexia	Pneu- monia	Ery- sipelas	Acute Encephalitis Lithargica	Totals
0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
10	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5
15	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	2
20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
45	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
65 and over ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	—	3	7	—	—	—	1	—	11

The number of cases notified during the year 1938 was 17 (including 6 cases of Tuberculosis).

NEW CASES OF TUBERCULOSIS AND MORTALITY DURING THE YEAR 1938.

Age Periods	New Cases				Deaths			
	Respiratory		Non-Respiratory		Respiratory		Non-Respiratory	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
15	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	2
25	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
45	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
55	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
65 and upwards	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	3	1	2	—	1	2	1	2

CAUSES OF DEATH IN THE GARFORTH URBAN DISTRICT, 1938.

Cause of Death	Males	Fe- males	Cause of Death	Males	Fe- males
ALL CAUSES	19	14			
1 Typhoid and paratyphoid Fevers	—	—	30 Other puerperal causes ...	—	—
2 Measles	—	—	31 Congenital debility, pre- mature birth, malforma- tions, &c.	1	—
3 Scarlet Fever	—	—	32 Senility	—	—
4 Whooping Cough	—	—	33 Suicide	—	—
5 Diphtheria	—	—	34 Other violence	2	—
6 Influenza	—	—	35 Other defined diseases ...	4	1
7 Encephalitis lethargica ...	—	—	36 Causes ill-defined or un- known	—	—
8 Cerebro-spinal fever	—	—			
9 Tuberculosis of respiratory system	1	2	Special Causes (included in No. 35 above)	—	—
10 Other tuberculosis diseases ...	1	2	Smallpox	—	—
11 Syphilis	—	—	Poliomyelitis	—	—
12 General paralysis of the insane, tabes dorsalis ...	—	—	Polioencephalitis	—	—
13 Cancer, malignant disease ...	—	1			
14 Diabetes	—	1	Deaths of Infants under 1 year—		
15 Cerebral hæmorrhage, &c. ...	1	1	Total	1	1
16 Heart disease	5	3	Legitimate	—	—
17 Aneurysm	—	—	Illegitimate	—	—
18 Other circulatory diseases ...	—	—			
19 Bronchitis	—	—	Live Births—		
20 Pneumonia (all forms)... ..	3	1	Total	32	24
21 Other respiratory diseases ...	—	—	Legitimate	31	23
22 Peptic Ulcer	—	—	Illegitimate	1	1
23 Diarrhoea, &c. (under 2 years)	—	—			
24 Appendicitis	—	—	Stillbirths—		
25 Cirrhosis of liver	—	—	Total	—	1
26 Other diseases of liver, &c....	—	—	Legitimate	—	1
27 Other digestive diseases ...	1	1	Illegitimate	—	—
28 Acute and chronic nephritis ...	—	1			
29 Puerperal sepsis	—	—	Population	3,806	

GENERAL PROVISION OF HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE AREA.

Public Health Officers of the Local Authority.

That Staff consists of the Clerk and Accountant, Sanitary Inspector who is also a Sanitary Surveyor, all whole time Officials, and a Medical Officer of Health. The Medical Officer of Health is a part time Official. Half the salaries of the Medical Officer of Health and the Sanitary Inspector are recovered from the County Council.

CLINICS AND TREATMENT CENTRES.

Name		Situation.
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Maternity & Child		
Welfare Centre.	W.R.C.C.	Garforth
	W.R.C.C.	
School Clinic.	Education Authority	Garforth
Tuberculosis		Garforth T.B.
Clinic.	W.R.C.C.	Dispensary
V.D. Clinic.	General	
	Infirmery	Leeds
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GARFORTH CHILD WELFARE CENTRE.

This Centre continues to do good and useful work.

The Centre is under the control of the West Riding County Council. The mothers continue to attend regularly and derive great benefit from the advice given by the Doctor and Nurse regarding the Feeding and Welfare of their infants.

LABORATORY FACILITIES.

Bacteriological examinations are undertaken by the West Riding County Council Analysts Department by arrangement with the County Council.

AMBULANCE FACILITIES.

(a) For Infectious Diseases we have an arrangement with the Tadcaster Rural District Council for the use of their Ambulance, which is kept at the Isolation Hospital, Garforth.

(b) For Non-Infectious, Maternity and Accident cases, the Council own a modern, well-equipped Motor Ambulance for these cases, at a fixed charge.

PROFESSIONAL NURSING IN THE HOME.

(a) General. A District Nursing Association is still in existence, and the services of a qualified District Nurse are available in general and midwifery nursing, and good work is achieved by the Association and District Nurse.

(b) Infectious Diseases. None.

Midwives: No employment or subsidy to practising midwives by the Local Authority.

HOSPITALS.

For Infectious diseases we have an arrangement with the Tadcaster Rural District for the use of the Isolation Hospital at Garforth Cliff, at a fixed charge.

Mortuary: There is a mortuary provided adjoining the Council's premises.

SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE AREA.

Water: The Water is purchased in bulk from the Leeds Corporation; it is of an exceptionally high degree of purity. There has been an adequate and constant supply throughout the year.

Analytical results obtained in the Corporation's Laboratories are as follows:—

Chemical Analysis :—	Parts per 1,000,000	Grains per gallon
Total Solids dried at 100°C.	9.97	6.91
Residue on Ignition	6.76	4.76
Nitrogen as free and saline ammonia.....	0.00063	0.00045
Nitrogen Nitrites -	Nil	Nil
Nitrogen Nitrates	0.046	0.034
Chlorine present at Chloride	1.33	0.93
Oxygen absorbed in 4hrs. at 20°c	0.194	0.136
Temporary Hardness as calcium Carbonate	2.43	1.71
Permanent hardness as calcium sulphate	3.75	2.62
 Soap Test :- -		
Temporary Hardness	Nil	Nil
Permanent Hardness	4.37	3.05
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Total Hardness	4.37	3.05
Lead	Nil	Nil

Bacteriological Examination.

B. Coli was absent in	Quantity	Sample
100%	10 c.c.	Water
94%	50 c.c.	Water
90%	150 c.c.	Water
84%	100 c.c.	Water

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

The majority of the drainage is by piped sewers, discharging into the sewage disposal works. There are houses situated in the outlying parts of the District connected to cesspools.

The drains and sewers were flushed and disinfected during the year, and in the case of new houses, the water carriage system only is entertained where possible. Every effort has been made to keep the Effluent at the Sewage Disposal Works up to the Rivers Board's Requirements.

CLOSET ACCOMMODATION.

No. of Privies with open Ashpit	2
No. of Pail or Tub Closets.....	7
Privies with Covered Middens	411
No. of Water Closets	856
No. of Chemical Closets	1

Public Conveniences: There are modern underground Public Conveniences provided, consisting of 3 W.C.'s and 1 Urinal; and 4 W.C.'s and 2 Urinals provided at the Recreation Ground.

PUBLIC CLEANSING.

Scavenging and Refuse Disposal: The Scavenging of the District is done by our own Scavenging Department.

The removal of house refuse during the last year was satisfactorily and systematically carried out. Only very few complaints were received of nuisance arising from neglect of cleansing of sanitary conveniences, and in no case were they found to be of a serious nature. The complaints were separately investigated and the necessary requirements were attended to promptly.

During the year regular inspections have been carried out by the Sanitary Inspector as far as possible, to see that all the conveniences were emptied regularly. Disinfectant powder is distributed for the purpose of disinfecting receptacles after cleansing.

The refuse is easily disposed of on to agricultural land.

SCHOOLS.

The water supply to the schools continues to be adequate.

RECREATION GROUNDS.

Two Recreation Grounds are provided, one adjoining the Housing Estate and the other in Barley Hill Road, adjoining the main road, the latter being constructed into Modern Playing Fields. Full benefit is made of these.

CAMPING SITES.

There are no official camping sites in the Council's area.

Smoke Abatement: During the past year it was not found necessary to take any official action.

Swimming Baths and Pools: There are none in the Council's area.

Eradication of Bed Bugs: There were three Council houses and eight other houses found to be infested during the past year. Each of these houses were fumigated with liquid H.C.N. gas under pressure.

Before any tenant will be accepted by the Council their furniture and their home is thoroughly inspected by the Sanitary Inspector, and if bugs are discovered the tenant's furniture, etc., is removed in the van under liquid H.C.N. gas. The bedding is sent to the steam disinfecter.

All houses are visited from time to time and in this way the necessary education of the tenant is proceeded with.

HOUSING.**1. Inspection of Dwelling Houses during the year, 1938:**

1 (a) Total number of dwelling-houses, etc. inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts)	280
(b) Number of Inspections made for the purpose	280
2 (a) Number of dwelling-houses (included under sub-head 1 above), which were inspected and recorded under the Housing Consolidation Regulations	180
(b) Number of Inspections for the purpose	180
3 Number of houses needing further action	121
(a) Number of dwelling houses found to be in a state so dangerous or injurious to health as to be unfit for human habitation	53
(b) Number (excluding those in subhead 3a) found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation	68

2. Remedy of Defects during the year without service of Formal Notices.

Number of defective dwelling-houses rendered fit in consequence of informal action of the Local Authority of their Officers	53
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3. Action under Statutory Powers during the Year.**(a) Proceedings under Sections 9, 10 and 16, Housing Act, 1936:—**

(1) Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs	Nil
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(2) Number of dwelling-houses which were rendered fit after service of formal notices	Nil
(a) By owners	Nil
(b) By Local Authority in default of owners	Nil

(b) Proceedings under Public Health Acts:—

(1) Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied	8
(2) Number of dwelling-houses in which defects were remedied after ser- vice of formal notices	8
(a) By Owners	8
(b) By Local Authority in default of owners	Nil

**(c) Proceedings under Sections 11 and 13 of the
Housing Act, 1936.—**

(1) Number of representations, etc., made in respect of dwelling-houses unfit for habitation	53
(2) Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which Demolition Orders were made	24
(3) Number of dwelling-houses demol- ished in pursuance of Demolition Orders	Nil
(4) Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which undertakings were accepted from owners—	
(a) To render houses fit for human habitation	Nil

(b) As to usage other than for human habitation	Nil
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(d) Proceedings under Section 12 of the Housing Act, 1936:—

(1) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were made	Nil
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(2) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms closed in pursuance of Closing Orders	Nil
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(3) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms, the Closing Orders in respect of which were determined, the tenement or room having been rendered fit	Nil
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4. Unhealthy Areas	Nil
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5. Number of new houses erected during 1938.

(a) By Local Authority	94
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(b) By Private Enterprise	51
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Total	145
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6. Housing Conditions.

(1) Total number of houses in the District	1,252
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(2) Number of working-class houses included in the above	1,011
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(3) General observations as to housing conditions, overcrowding, and shortage of houses. Housing conditions are very fair and constantly improving. There is only 1 case of overcrowding left in the district.

(4) Special activity in house building. Private Enterprise developing all over District.

(5) Housing Scheme projected by Local Authority. Garforth Urban District Council are nearing the completion of a Housing Estate, 136 Houses.

(6) Regulations made in respect of underground sleeping rooms under Section 12, Housing Act, 1936 Nil

7. Town Planning There is no Town Planning Scheme in the District.

Have the Council during 1938 passed a Resolution deciding to prepare a Town Planning Scheme. If so, does it relate to:—

Whole District? NO. Part of District? NO.

8. Housing Act, 1936. Part IV. Overcrowding:—

(a) 1. Number of dwellings overcrowded at the end of the year 1

2. Number of families dwelling therein 1

3. Number of persons dwelling therein 11

(b) Number of new cases of overcrowding reported during the year Nil

(c) 1. Number of cases of overcrowding relieved during the year 21

2. Number of persons concerned in such cases 150

(d) Particulars of any cases in which dwelling-houses have again become overcrowded after the Local Authority have taken steps for the abatement of overcrowding Nil

(e) Any other particulars with respect to overcrowding conditions upon which the Medical Officer of Health may consider it desirable to report Nil

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD.

Milk and Dairies Order, 1926.

Regular inspections have been made in Sanitary Conditions of the various Cowsheds, Dairies, and Milk Shops in the District. In the course of inspections under the above Act, notices were served where necessary and complied with.

(1) Number of visits to Cowkeepers	35
(2) Number of Cowsheds visited	10
(3) Number of Milk Cows	48
(4) General Conditions and Type of Cow.....	Good
(5) General Cleanliness of Cows	Good
(6) General Conditions of Sanitation	Good
(7) Chief Methods of Milk Disposal	Retailed Locally

The cowsheds as a whole are kept in a fairly clean condition; Five Cowsheds have ceased being used as such (due to defects).

MEAT AND OTHER FOOD. CARCASSES INSPECTED AND CONDEMNED.

	Cattle (excluding cows)	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs
Number Killed	Approx. 150	65	18	350	300
Number Inspected	150	65	18	350	300
All Diseases except Tuberculosis.					
(a) Whole carcasses condemned ...	1	—	2	3	—
(b) Carcasses of which some part or organs was condemned...	9	5	—	5	14
(c) Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than Tuber- culosis	6.66%	7.69%	11.11%	2.28%	4.66%
Tuberculosis Only.					
(a) Whole carcase condemned ...	1	—	1	—	2
(b) Carcasses of which some part or organ was condemned ...	29	15	—	—	23
(c) Percentage of the number inspected affected with Tuberculosis	20%	23.07%	5.55%	—	8.33%

Other Foods.

Number of samples (other than milk) taken by officers of L.A. for examination under the Food and Drugs (Adulteration) Act, 1928	Nil
Number found adulterated	Nil
Number of prosecutions	Nil
Number of Bakehouses in district	4
Total inspections	30
Number of underground bakehouses	1

CHEMICAL AND BACTERIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION OF FOOD.

Examinations under this head are carried out by the West Riding County Council.

BUTCHERS' SHOPS & SLAUGHTERHOUSES.

There are four licensed slaughterhouses in the district, one for pigs only, and three for cattle generally, all of which have been periodically visited and found to be kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

SHOPS ACT, 1934, Sections 10 and 13 (3).

There were 50 visits paid under the above Act during 1938, and 10 unsatisfactory conditions were found and remedied.

ADOPTIVE ACTS IN FORCE IN THE DISTRICT.

The following is a list of Adoptive Acts in force in the district:—

Public Health Acts (Amendment) Act, 1890.
Part III. Sections not repealed by P.H.A., 1936.

Public Health Acts (Amendment) Act, 1907.
Part IV. Sections not repealed by P.H.A., 1936.

Public Health Act, 1925. Part VI.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

CLAUDE C. HARGREAVES,

Medical Officer of Health

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

Summary of work done in the Sanitary Inspector's
Department during the year 1938:—

1.—Public Health Acts.— Particulars.	No. of Informal Written Notices by Inspector.	No. of Statutory Notices by Authority	No. of Nuisances abated after Notice	General Remarks
Dwelling Houses and Schools—				
Foul Conditions	5	Nil	5	Verminous.
Structural Defects	4	"	4	
Dwelling Houses	Nil	"	Nil	
Dairies and Milkshops	2	"	2	Choked drains, neglect in Limewashing, un- clean utensils.
Cowsheds.				
Stablehouses	2	"	2	Choked drains and neglect in Limewash- ing.
Washhouses	3	"	3	
Shops and Privies	13	"	13	Converted to W.C.'s.
Deposits of Refuse and Manure ...	5	"	5	Too near to Dwellings and Public Highways
Waterclosets	1	"	1	Choked Generally.
Defective Yard Paving... ..	3	"	3	
House Drainage--				
Defective Traps	10	"	10	Untrapped Sink Waste
No disconnection from Sewers...	Nil	"	Nil	
Other Faults	Nil	"	Nil	Choked and leaking.
Water Supply	10	"	10	Insufficient pressure.
Wastages	2	"	2	Insufficient cleansing and defective drainage.
Animals improperly kept	Nil	"	Nil	
Offensive Trades	Nil	"	Nil	
Smoke Nuisances	Nil	"	Nil	
Other Nuisances	Nil	"	Nil	
Nuisances outstanding from 1935...	Nil	Nil	7	
Shops Acts.				
Sanitary Accommodation	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Temperature	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Totals ...	47	Nil	47	

II.—Water, Food and Drugs.	Number	
Samples of Water taken for Analysis ...	Nil	No Prosecution.
Do. condemned as unfit for use ...	Nil	
Seizures of Unwholesome Food ...	Nil	
Convictions for exposing or selling un-wholesome food ...	Nil	
Samples of Food and Drugs taken for Analysis (Milk) ...	Nil	
Samples of Food found adulterated...	Nil	
III.—Precautions against Infectious Diseases.	Number	
Lots of Infectious Bedding stoved ...	Nil	
Houses disinfected after Infectious diseases	11	
Schools do. do.	Nil	
Prosecutions for exposure of infected Persons or things ...	Nil	
Convictions for do. do.	Nil	
IV.—General.	Number	
Number of New Houses erected during the year ...	145	
Number of such houses occupied during the year ...	145	
Ashpit-Privies converted into Ash-closets...	Nil	
Ashpit-Privies converted into Water-Closets ...	13	
New W.C.'s to existing property ...	Nil	
Pail Closets converted into Water-Closets	Nil	
Total Number of Water-closets in District	856	
Total Number of Ashpit Privies in the District ...	411	

1.—INSPECTION OF FACTORIES, WORKSHOPS AND WORKPLACES.
Including Inspections made by the Sanitary Inspector during the year

Premises. (1)	Number of		
	In- spections (2)	Written Notices (3)	Occupiers prosecuted (4)
Factories (Including Factory Laundries ...	9	—	—
Workshops (Including Workshop Laundries)	41	12 verbal	—
Workplaces (Other than Outworkers Premises)	—	—	—
Total ...	50	12	—

2.—DEFECTS FOUND IN FACTORIES, WORKSHOPS AND
WORKPLACES.

Particulars. (1)	Number of Defects			Number of offences in respect of which Prose- cutions were instituted
	Found (2)	Reme- died (3)	Referred to H.M. Inspector (4)	
Nuisances under the Public Health Acts:—				
Want of Cleanliness	6	6	—	—
Want of Ventilation	3	3	—	—
Overcrowding	—	—	—	—
Unreasonable Temperature	—	—	—	—
Ineffective Drainage of Floors	3	3	—	—
Sanitary Conveniences				
Insufficient	—	—	—	—
Unsuitable or Defective	—	—	—	—
Not Separate for Sexes	—	—	—	—
Total	12	12	—	—

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